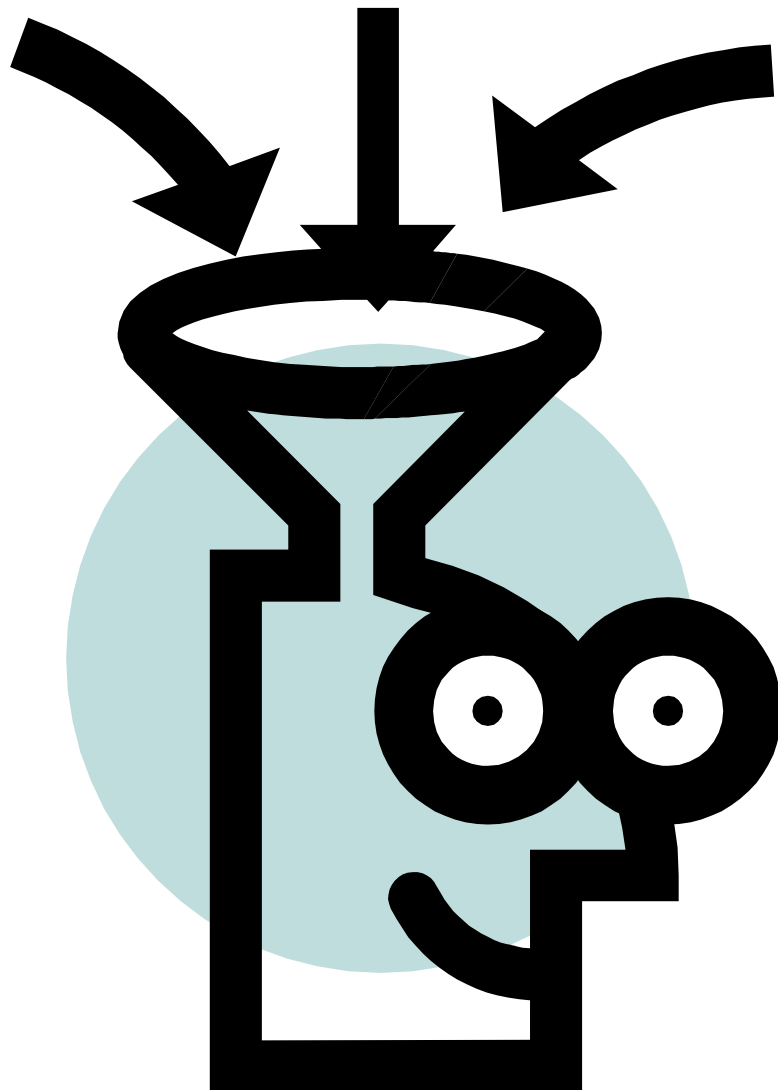


**CLB-3**

**WEEKLY UPDATE!!**

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1. Hawaii All-Military Bowling Tournament Tryouts (March 2-3) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

Each spring, the Hawaii Military Bowlers participate in the Hawaii All Military tournament. The tournament consists of all branches of service and a retiree team to include teams for both men and women. The Marine team will be hosting tryouts Wednesday and Thursday, March 2 and 3, at 6:00 p.m. at K-Bay Lanes. Men and women who are assigned to an MCBH command, to include Sailors, are eligible for the team. Participants will need to be able to bowl April 4-8 for the Hawaii All-Military Tournament.

POC: Deborah Bruns, 254-7664

2. Bldg 144 Service Road Closure (March 2-4) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

Service Road running behind Bldg 144 off of First Street closed to vehicular traffic and parking (\*\*\*\*NEW\*\*\*\*)

Date/Time: Wednesday, March 2, 12:00pm to Friday, March 4, 3:30pm

Description: Road closed to vehicular traffic and parking due to installation of new grease trap serving the satellite mess facility, Bldg 144.

POC: Mr. Dave Faust, Ph. 808-216-3335

3. Spring Swim Program Registration (March 5) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

Registration for the spring swim program sessions begins Saturday, March 5 from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. at the Base Pool. For more information, visit [www.mccshawaii.com/aquatics.shtml](http://www.mccshawaii.com/aquatics.shtml).

POC: Aquatics, 254-7655

4. Electrical Power Outage (March 5 and 6) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

An 8 hour electrical power outage to Circuits 102 has been rescheduled for Saturday (3/5/11), from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. on Sunday (3/6/11). The purpose of this outage is to support the contractor's primary cable tie-in to the new CDC building. The affected buildings are listed below.

CIRCUIT 102		
1027	STA. (BLDG. 1027)	yes
1045	STA. (BLDG. 1088)	yes
1088	REGIMENTAL HQTRS.	yes
4012	HEADQUARTERS BLDG	yes
4023	HEADQUARTERS BLDG	yes
4022	HEADQUARTERS BLDG	yes
4025	HEADQUARTERS BLDG	yes
4013	HEADQUARTERS BLDG	yes
4026	HEADQUARTERS BLDG	yes
6036	COMB. ARMS TRNG. FAC	yes
6088	NEW COMMISSARY	yes-generator
6109	NEW EXCHANGE	yes
6111	6111 - 6115 CDC	yes

6477 MOKAPU MALL yes  
6677 NEW CHAPEL yes  
  
7048 BEQ yes  
7057 BEQ yes  
7058 BEQ yes  
7059 BEQ yes  
MOKAPU ELEMENTARY yes  
McDONALDS yes  
WINDWARD FEDERAL CREDIT UNION yes

POC: Xavier Ching, 257-2385

5. Commander's Cup Golf Classic (March 9) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

There will be a Commander's Cup Golf Classic at the Kaneohe Klipper Golf Course on Wednesday, March 9. Check in is at 11:00 a.m. and shotgun is at 12:00 p.m. All golfers dressed in St. Patrick's Day outfits will receive 10% off at the Pro Shop, and the best dressed will win a prize. The tournament grand prize is an overnight stay for two at the JW Marriott Ihilani Resort & Spa. This tournament is open to all hands. Please register your foursome by Friday, March 4.

POC: Todd Murata, 254-2107

6. Kalaheo Project Graduation Request For Volunteers (March 12) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

On Saturday March 12 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.: Kalaheo Project Graduation will host an 'Aina Earth Day on their campus. Volunteers are requested to assist with traffic control (parking) and to assist recycling vendors with sorting items brought in by private car/truck to designated parking lots on Kalaheo campus.

POC: Amy Solomon, 257-8897

7. MCCS Events and Promotions (March) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

More March MCCS current events and promotions can be found at <http://www.mccshawaii.com/militaryfamilies.shtml>. Please visit the MCCS web site for more information.

8. Volunteers for Special Olympics needed (March and April) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

Volunteers are needed for Special Olympics 2011 Play Days. Come out and help get Pre-School Special Education students active. Volunteers are needed to run various activity stations and for some of these special children, this will be their first try at an organized Play Day, so come out and see the smiles on their faces!

Thursday, March 3 (8am-12noon; Kaneohe District Park; 30 Volunteers needed  
Friday, April 8 (8am-12noon); Manoa District Park; 30 Volunteers needed  
Thursday, April 14 (8am-12noon); Nanakuli High School; 40 Volunteers needed  
Thursday, April 21, (8am-12noon; Mililani District Park; 50 Volunteers needed

T-Shirts and Certificates of Appreciation will be available to all volunteers. Sign up now and remember, confirmations will be done on a first come, first serve basis.

POC: Cindy Ujimori; 695-3527

9. Vehicle Decals (March 7) \*\*\*NEW\*\*\*

MCBH vehicle decals, will no longer be issued, at the main gate building 1637.

Decals for authorized personnel will be issued at the military police department, building 1095, 2nd deck, Monday - Friday - 0700-1645.

Please contact the MCBH Pass and Registration office at 257-2047 if there are additional questions.

10. Riseley Field Super Playground Closure (through April 15) \*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*

The Super Playground at Riseley Field will be under construction for renovations and ADA upgrades from February 1 April 15, or until completion of the project. The playground will be closed to the public during this time.

POC: Roberto Katekaru, 257-7773

11. Kindergarten Registration Night \*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*

Mokapu Elementary School will be hosting Kindergarten Registration Night on Wednesday, March 9, 2011, 5:30 pm to 7:00. Complimentary Pizza dinner will be served at 5:30 pm. Following dinner a variety of activities will take place. All activities, including Registration will be held in the school cafeteria. Do not delay, Registration has already started!

POC: Breeana Kamakeeaina, 254-7964 x297, Registration Clerk; or Derrick Kerr 257.8826,  
MCBH School Liaison.

12. Lost And Found \*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*

There have been several lost personal items that have been found on Marine Corps Base Hawaii, Kaneohe Bay and turned in to the Military Police Department, Criminal Investigation Division, 3rd Street, Building 1095, first floor. These items include: Jewelry, bicycles, umbrellas, glasses, watches, clothing, keys, wallets and other items. If you think your lost item(s) may be among our found items call Criminal Investigation at 257-1305.

13. The DSTRESS Line \*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*

The DSTRESS Line is part of the Corps' main effort to support Marines, sailors and their families (regular, Reserve, veteran or retiree). This is a service "By Marines, For Marines"-the DSTRESS Line is a pilot project that offers Marines in the West, and Marine Corps families, the opportunity to speak to "one of their own" about the stresses we all face-from everyday stress to post-traumatic

stress. You can call any time at your convenience-day or night. Call 1-877-476-7734 or go online at [DSTRESSLINE.COM](http://DSTRESSLINE.COM).

14. Radio Found

We found a hand held radio on the flight line road last week. It is a Motorola hand held type with "USMC" hand painted in red on the pocket clip. Interested parties can email Sgt Brian Zygmant with inquiries. Request parties claiming the lost radio provide S/n for verification.

15. Crews Into Shape (Mar 7-Apr 2)

Crews Into Shape is a 4-week challenge brought to you by Semper Fit Health Promotions from Mar 7 and Apr 2. Build a crew of 2-10 members, appoint a captain and work hard together to earn points for exercising, maintaining or achieving a weight goal, eating fruits and other activities! This is open to all hands, including dependents. Register your Crew with NMCPHC by 28 February. To register, just e-mail your Crew Worksheet to NMCPHC and VISIT the Crews into Shape website or call 254-7636 for more information.

16. The Apache Belles Workshop and Performance (March 8-9)

The Apache Belles, a group of freshman and sophomore young ladies from Tyler Junior College in Texas who are known for their dance talent and technique, will be at the Base Theater on March 8 and 9. This group of young ladies has been entertaining audiences from the football field to the performance stage for over sixty years. The trademark precision dance, cutting-edge routines and, of course, the famous Apache Belle "high kick" have thrilled fans across the globe. On March, 8 from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m., The Apache Belles will conduct a workshop for girls ages 4-12 years. Registration is required and limited to the first 100 girls. On March 9, from 6:00-7:00 p.m., The Apache Belles with the girls will take their act to the stage in a performance open to all authorized patrons at the Base Theater.

POC: Please call 254-7610 or stop by Youth Activities Building 1090.

17. Cushman Ave. Closure (Feb. 14 - April 7)

Cushman Ave will be partially closed between Lawrence Road and Mokapu Road for repaving. During that time one lane will remain open at all times for use alternately by motorists as directed by flagmen. Mokapu Road (west bound) will be coned off to one lane entering and exiting Cushman Ave. Entrance to MCX and Commissary parking lot via Cushman will be limited.

POC: Marc Hirano, 257-6896 or Michael Ishibashi, 257-9958

**OPERATION OOH-RAH KIDS**

**MOCK**

# **KIDS IN DEPLOYMENT STATUS**

**Fri • March 25, 2011**

**0800 - 1630 • Free Event**

**Marine Corps Family Team Building (MCFTB)  
Readiness & Deployment Support (RDS)**

- Mock military deployment exercise for KIDS
- Ages 7-13 yrs
- KIDS of MCB Hawaii installation-wide personnel
- Various locations around the base
- Lunch and snack provided
- Coping skills will be taught to educate KIDS on how to thrive during the deployment cycle

**RSVP BY MARCH 14, 2011**

Call Jayme Alexander, RDST @ 808-257-2650 / 808-257-2410

or email [jayme.alexander@usmc.mil](mailto:jayme.alexander@usmc.mil)



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# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## for Operation Ooh-Rah KIDS March 25, 2011

Operation Ooh-Rah KIDS is an installation-wide mock deployment for children ages 7-13 on March 25, 2011 (State Holiday: Prince Kuhio Day).

*The success of this event is imperative on the support of the volunteers.*

- Volunteer  
Drill Instructors

- Medics

- Military  
Personnel

- Help anytime throughout the day



POC: Jayme Alexander RDST  
Marine Corps Family Team Building  
808-257-2650 or 808-257-2410  
Email: [jayme.alexander@usmc.mil](mailto:jayme.alexander@usmc.mil)



### **Operation Ooh-Rah KIDS (Kids in Deployment Status)**

Event Registration & Call for Volunteers/ 25 March

25 March 2011 from 0800-1615 at Base Theater for check-in

Operation Ooh-Rah KIDS is a new, fun and creative installation-wide mock deployment for children aged 7-13 on 25 March 2011 (State Holiday: Prince Kuhio Day). Kids will be challenged through fun obstacle courses, learn about military customs and courtesies, marching moves and the proud history of the Marine Corps. Sign up today by contacting the Operation Ooh-Rah KIDS Coordinator, Marine Corps Family Team Building 257-2650 or 257-2410.

Volunteers: The success of this event is imperative on the support of the volunteers. "Drill Instructors" will be needed to lead teams and teach marching, histories and traditions and to have fun. Medics will be needed for the teams as well. There will be activities throughout the day and lots of opportunities to help in short time frames or longer. To become a volunteer, please contact the Ooh-Rah KIDS Coordinator, at 257-2650 or 257-2410.

### **2011 MCBH Job Fair**

18 March

Friday, 18 Mar 2011

0900-1230 @ Kahuna's Enlisted Club Ballroom

Opportunities abound at the 2011 MCB Hawaii Job Fair to be held on Friday, 18 March 2011, from 0900 to 1230, at the Kahuna's Enlisted Club Ballroom.

There will be approximately 50 companies/agencies attending. Make sure you come prepared with resumes to hand off to representatives from companies/agencies that you are interested in. This will be a great opportunity to speak to employers, drop off job applications and research the job market.

The Job Fair will be open to jobseekers from the military community from 0900 to 1230 and jobseekers from the local community will be able to attend from 1100 to 1230.

Please dress in professional attire, and due to the professional nature of the event children will not be admitted.

For more information, contact Marine & Family Services at 257-7787/7790.

### **Personal Finance Resource Fair**

19 March

Saturday, 19 Mar 2011

0900-1400 @ Mokapu Mall

Exciting financial management fair with a Fashion Show (tips on how to save!), Iron Chef on a budget event (tasty and inexpensive competition on-site), and vendors here to help you with your financial well being (including Navy Marine Corps Relief Society, Military One-Source, Federal & State Agencies, Better Business Bureau of Hawaii, Windward Community Federal Credit Union, Bank of Hawaii and various MCCS and MCB Hawaii departments). Bring in your old FILES TO BE SHREDDED, Access Information Management will also be on hand to properly get rid of documents with sensitive information. Open to everyone with Base access. Call 257-7790/87 for more information. No U.S.M.C. or Federal Government endorsement of sponsors.

### **JEC's Spring Education Fair 2011**

24 March

Thursday, 24 Mar 2011

1000-1200 @ Mokapu Mall

The Joint Education Center presents its biannual Education Fair for Spring 2011 at Mokapu Mall. Stop by to check out opportunities for military members and their families to take advantage of benefits, scholarships and grants for education. Representatives from over 15 different universities and programs will be on hand, including Hawaii Pacific University, Chaminade, Heald College and more. Free education and career tools will be available. Prize giveaways will be handed out throughout the Fair. For more information contact 257-2158.



## **Marine Corps League Detachment Scholarship**

The Marine Corps League Aloha Detachment announces that it will accept applications for its annual scholarships beginning February 1, 2011. Now in its second year, the Aloha Detachment will award up to eight \$4,000 scholarships to deserving high school seniors enrolled in Marine or Navy JROTC and seniors with a Marine or Navy parent stationed aboard Marine Corps Base, Hawaii. And, scholarship eligibility has been expanded to include the children of Marine Corps League members and retired Marines and Sailors employed aboard Marine Corps Base, Hawaii.

For more information and to download a scholarship application, eligible students should visit the Aloha Detachment web site at [www.aloha363detachment.com](http://www.aloha363detachment.com). The Scholarship Committee will notify winners no later than May 6, 2011.

Link to more info:

<http://www.aloha363detachment.com/Scholarships.html>

## **Scholarship Program Fisher House Foundation**

Only dependent unmarried children under age 23 of active duty personnel, reserve/guard and retired military members, or survivors of service members who died while on active duty or survivors of individuals who died while receiving retired pay from the military, may apply for a scholarship. Dependent children of NOAA (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration), Public Health Service, other federal or military related agencies or activities, or DoD civilian employees are not eligible unless they meet the above requirement. Applicants should ensure that they, as well as their sponsor, are currently enrolled in the Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS) database and that they have a current dependent military ID card. The DEERS database will be the primary method of verifying eligibility.

Applicants must be enrolled, or planning to enroll, in a full-time undergraduate degree program at an accredited U.S. college or university in the fall term of 2011. Applicants who have earned an undergraduate degree or who are enrolled in a graduate degree program are not eligible. All applicants must also have a minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 basis) to be eligible to apply. The minimum unweighted GPA requirement applies to both high school and college students. Students attending a community or junior college must be enrolled in a program of studies designed to allow the student to transfer directly into a four-year program. Applicants who receive an appointment to one of the U.S. Military Academies (or affiliated preparatory schools) or are awarded a full scholarship at any accredited U.S. post-secondary institution of higher education are not eligible to receive funds from this program. A full scholarship is usually defined as one that provides for payment of tuition, books, lab fees, and other related expenses.

Applicants, or their sponsors, need not live at an installation that has a commissary. Applicants may submit their application at any commissary, however it is recommended that they submit the application where their sponsors normally shop or closest to where their sponsors live. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to ensure the commissary receives the application.

If it is not possible (due to distance considerations) for the applicants to submit their applications in person, they may also mail, UPS, or FedEx their completed applications to the commissary nearest to where their sponsor is stationed. Applicants who choose this method must contact that commissary and obtain the name of a person to whom the package will be directed. (A complete list of commissaries, along with phone numbers, can be found at [www.commissaries.com](http://www.commissaries.com)).

## **NACCRRRA/Resources/Deployed Respite Care Program**

Did you know the National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies (NACCRRRA) has a whole section just for military families? NACCRRRA's webpage for the Marine Corps can be found at: <http://www.naccrra.org/MilitaryPrograms/marine-corps/>

NACCRA has several resources that you may find useful, everything from subsidized childcare costs (MCCYN), to online education for finding quality childcare (Child Care Aware), to deployment respite care to give moms a break during deployment. See below for more information and links to some of their programs!

Military Child Care in Your Neighborhood (MCCYN) is for Families of:

Active Duty Marines  
Active Reserve Marines  
Marine Recruiters

For married Marines, the spouse must be working, looking for work or attending school. The same policies will apply to unmarried legal parents living in the same household. Children of Active Duty and Reserve Marines, living within 30 miles of an installation, must be on the waitlist at the installation child care program and not have denied a viable child care option within the last year.

Eligible Families receive:

Help finding approved high-quality child care in your community. Fee assistance to help cover part of the cost of child care. How do I find an approved high-quality provider? Contact Child Care Aware at 1-800-424-2246 for a personal consultation. Approved providers must meet all the Marine Corps's requirements. The provider must have a state child care license and have received an inspection within the last 12 months.

APPLICATION LINK:

<http://www.naccrra.org/MilitaryPrograms/marine-corps/docs/ParentSubsidyApp-10.19.06.pdf>

BROCHURE:

[http://www.naccrra.org/militaryprograms/docs/MCCYN\\_brochure.pdf](http://www.naccrra.org/militaryprograms/docs/MCCYN_brochure.pdf)

CHILD CARE AWARE:

As a new parent finding child care for the first time, or a family attempting to find a new provider, locating high-quality child care might be easier said than done. There are many things to consider before selecting a child care provider. Child Care Aware offers Parent Pages that offer you information to become a more informed consumer of child care.

ChildcareAware: <http://www.childcareaware.org/en/>

### **The Deployed Respite Care Program**

While your Marine is deployed, you will receive 16 hours of respite childcare per month for as long as your Marine is deployed. Simply call 1-800-424-2246 and mention this program.

To apply:

Complete an online application at <http://www.naccrra.org/MilitaryPrograms/marine-corps/> and submit required documents. Make sure your provider submits required documents. Questions?? Call 1-800-424-2246



**Joint Education Center**

Two Covers are Better Than One - Marine Corps Base Hawaii - 808-257-2158



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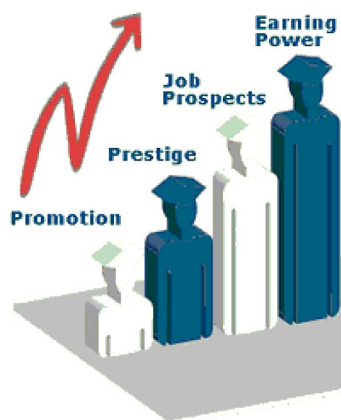


...to prepare for a successful future?

**MCB Hawaii EDUCATION FAIR**

**Thursday, 24 March 2011 • 1000-1400**

**Mokapu Mall (between MCX & Starbucks)**



### FEATURING INFORMATION ON...

- Your base Joint Education Center
- On-base universities & degree programs
- All your great military education benefits
- Post-9/11 GI Bill – *big changes coming!*
- Scholarships & grant money for families
- Also – cool, free giveaways!

**...Stop by and check it out!**

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